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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 3495.0010-24

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Marc ALIZON et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1637  
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Application No.: 08/475,822 ) Examiner: Jeffrey N. FREDMAN  
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Filed: June 7, 1995 ) Confirmation No.: 4214  
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For: CLONED DNA SEQUENCES RELATED TO THE GENOMIC RNA OF  
LYMPHADENOPATHY-ASSOCIATED VIRUS (LAV) AND PROTEINS  
ENCODED BY SAID LAV GENOMIC RNA

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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of June 15, 2004 (a Notice of Appeal was filed on December 15, 2004). A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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